

HOUSEHOLD BREVITIES.

—Oatmeal Griddle Cakes.—Two cups of oatmeal, one cup of wheat flour, a teaspoonful of brown sugar, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder sifted into the flour, half a teaspoonful of salt, cold water enough to make a batter as thick as buckwheat cakes.—Housekeeper.

—Jumbles are made with three cups of sugar, two cups of butter, one egg and five cups of flour with any flavoring preferred. Roll the paste thin, sprinkle it with sugar, cut in round cakes, and cut a small piece from the center of each. Bake in a quick oven.—N. Y. World.

—Toast For Garnishing.—For poached eggs, cut the bread into rounds with a large cake-cutter before toasting. For small birds or asparagus, remove the crusts and cut into oblong pieces. For minces and fricases, cut into small squares or diamonds. For a border, cut, after toasting, into one and one-half inch squares, and then into halves diagonally, making triangles or cut into long-pointed triangles.—Boston Budget.

—To make pie crust flaky spread the crust when rolled out for the top of the pie with a thin layer of butter. Dredge with flour, and cover the pie with the crust as usual. When ready for the oven tip the pie slanting, holding it in the left hand, and pour over the pie a glass of cold water to rinse of the flour. Enough of the latter will stick to the butter to fry into the crust while baking to make it flaky. This is well worth a trial.—N. Y. Tribune.

—To Fry Trout.—Having cleaned the fish and cut off the fins, dredge them with flour. Have ready some beaten yolks of eggs and in a separate dish some grated bread crumbs. Dip each fish into the eggs and then strain them with bread crumbs. Put some butter or fresh drippings into a frying-pan and hold it over the fire till it is boiling hot; then, (having skimmed it) put in the fish and fry them. Prepare some melted butter with a spoonful of mushroom catsup stirred into it. Send it to the table hot to eat with the fish. Flounders may be cooked in the same manner.—Home.

—Potatoes With Parmesan Cheese.—Put two small tablespoonfuls of white gravy into a steppan with a quarter of a pound of butter, two ounces of Parmesan cheese, the juice of half a lemon, a seasoning of pepper, salt and nutmeg, and the yolks of four well-beaten eggs, and set it over the fire to become hot; place a border of croutons of fried bread round a dish; put a row of potatoes cut into slices within the border; pour over it some of the above sauce; then arrange some more slices of potatoes in a smaller circle; then a layer of the sauce; and so on, until a raised center is formed; put a little sauce over the top, and cover it well over with two ounces more of the cheese and some bread crumbs; bake it for about twenty minutes, and serve hot.—Boston Herald.

NOVEL IDEAS ABOUT DOLLIES.

Working Quotations Appropriate to the Month of the Year.

Dollies made to match the lunch cloth would be very pretty. A narrow hem and two narrow bands of drawn work, with feather-stitching done in pointed lines, will make the appropriate edge, and the space within may be occupied by an initial or left plain.

A set of dollies containing allusions to the months, both in text and flowers, will be a charming remembrance for an artistic friend when the gift season comes, as come it will, long before we are ready for it, if we long ago began our preparations. The little linen dollies with hemstitched edge can be bought so cheaply that it is not worth while to make them. Draw upon each one of the set a flower or flowers appropriate to a certain month, and write a motto to be worked in outline stitch with black silk. A pretty sentiment for one, "September waves her goldenrod." On one side of the dolly is a beautifully worked spray of goldenrod done with yellow silk in French knots. On another one the flowers are roses, the motto, "Sweetest roses welcome June." Some other sentiments which may be accompanied by suggestive flowers are: "The violet hides from March's rough caress." "Our vine-wreathed king, October." "Poppies bloom in the field in fair July." "Hips and haws in bleak November." "September's child, the meadow-bell." "The stately foxglove, August's love." "The satin hilly of December." "The gracious pine not even January's blast can strip." "The lichen soft in February's wintry smile." "Fritition's promise comes in May." "November's frost lays bare the nuts." "Anemone, sweet April's lady." In working the quotations emphasis is given to the name of the month by working it in a color, while the remainder of the lettering is done with black.—Harper's Bazar.

Table Details.

The little thing of a table go far to make a good dinner, and where they are neglected there is only one result. But let close attention be paid to them, and those who received the benefit will not be slow to notice them. Care in little things generally means perfection in larger ones, and the woman who, at the head of the boarding-house, keeps her eyes on the former can be trusted for the latter. Butter may taste just as well where each boarder helps himself from one piece; but the taste of the hostess is noticed when it is served in forms found beneath a covering of chopped ice. These are the little things which make up a successful whole, and she is a wise woman who appreciates the fact.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Velvet Again in Vogue.

Silk velvet comes to the fore this season as a fabric pre-eminently adapted for trimming the new dress materials. Velvet skirts are also highly fashionable once again, and are worn beneath open-fronted coats of satin brocade, that have vests of white or ecru silk, embroidered, and finished with a lace frill that goes around the neck of the high collar, and is jabbed all the way down the front of the vest.—Chicago Post.

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Fine saloon on first floor, No. 35 (Taggle's old stand).
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Fine Wines, liquors and cigars. Nice reception room for patrons. dec13-6m

Call and see us. Just what you want and good treatment.

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Fresh meats, the best and cheapest at Wilkenson's. Stall 11, City Market. Low prices. Free Delivery.
Leave orders at Wilkenson's, Stall 11, City Market, for fresh milk, cream and butter. Low prices. Free delivery. nov7-1yr

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Company is prepared to do all kinds of hauling. They keep good wagons, good teams and responsible drivers. Prompt attention. Offices, Freight depot and Jefferson street, south. Telephone, 119. oct1-1yr

FREDERICK J. AMWEG, C. E.,
M. Am Soc. C. E. & Engr's Club of Philadelphia engineer, contractor and builder, Commercial Bank Building, Roanoke, Va. apr22-1f

FOR RENT.

16 3-ROOM HOUSES, WEST END,
End, \$10.75. 18 5-room houses, West End, \$10.75. 17-room house, Church street, \$25. 17-room house, Campbell street, s. w., \$20. 1 8-room house, Eighth avenue, s. w., \$35. 1 7-room house, Seventh avenue, s. w., \$35. 1 7-room house, Robertson street near Jefferson, \$25. See HARTSOOK & ADJESON, Renters, 108 Jefferson street.

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LOST AND FOUND.

\$75 REWARD.—I WILL PAY A
reward of \$25 for the recovery of the following jewelry, and \$50 for the arrest and conviction of the thief who took it from my residence Sunday night, December 20:
One cluster diamond ring.
One ladies' gold watch and chain, pendant set with emeralds and rubies.
One sapphire and ruby ring.
One small diamond ring.
One gold neck chain, heart pendant with diamonds.
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W. C. OVERBY, Roanoke, Va. dec24-1wk

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safety truck, and furniture transferred by W. W. ROBINSON, office at Massie & Martin's drug store, Salem avenue and Commerce street. nov21-1m

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DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNER-
SHIP.
The firm of S. A. Rice & Co., conducting a billiard saloon and cigar stand at No. 21 Campbell street s. w., in Roanoke, Va., have this day by mutual consent dissolved. S. A. Rice will pay all bills due by the firm and all accounts due to the firm will be payable to him. dec19-1aw4wks

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

By mutual agreement the firm of W. H. Mackay & Co., electrical engineers and contractors, consisting of W. H. Mackay and W. A. Huff, has this day been dissolved. All bills due to or by the old firm will be settled by the new firm, which will continue to do business at the same old stand, No. 30 Campbell street, under the same firm name. J. PAYNE THOMPSON, W. S. GOOCH, Roanoke, Va., Oct. 16, 1891.

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J. PAYNE THOMPSON, D. S. MEADOWS. dec19-30ds

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THE stockholders whose names appear below in the payment of assessments made upon the stock subscribed for by them in the Transparent Ice Company, of Roanoke, Va., I shall, as directed by the board of directors of said company, ON THURSDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1892, AT 10 O'CLOCK M., in front of the city courthouse in Roanoke, Va., sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the stock of the stockholders named below, for the payment of the several assessments and amounts due by them on such assessments.

Name. No. shares. Amt. due.